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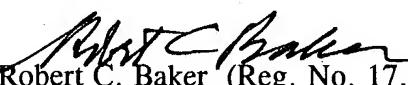
Please note, however, that the subject application is a continuation of parent utility application identified as Serial No. 10/017,846 filed 11/30/2001.

Therefore, the provisions of the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure as set forth in Section 609 reading:

The examiner will consider information which has been considered by the office in a parent application when examining (A) a continuation application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) . . . * * * Such information need not be resubmitted in the continuing application . . .

This application so qualifies, and the Examiner is most respectfully requested to take all relevant prior art into consideration in examining this application.

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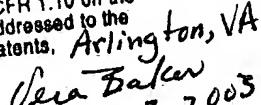
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